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SUBJECT: RAPID RUNWAY REPAIR (RRR) IN THE UK

1. CINCUSAFE HAS REQUESTED AUTHORITY TO BEGIN NEGOTIATIONS WITH UK MOD REGARDING RELOCATION OF A RED HORSE SQUADRON FOR RRR. WE UNDERSTAND THIS MAY ULTIMATELY INVOLVE ADDITIONAL 400 USAF PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO ONE (AS YET UNDETERMINED) USAF FACILITY IN UK. SQUADRON IS DESIGNED TO BE AVAILABLE FOR EMERGENCY RUNWAY REPAIR WITH PREPOSITIONED HEAVY CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT BUT PERFORMS OTHER FUNCTIONS DURING NORMAL DUTY CONDITIONS.

2. IF EMBASSY HAS NO OBJECTION, WE BELIEVE CINCUSAFE SHOULD UNDERTAKE INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS WITH APPROPRIATE UK MOD AND
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RAF COUNTERPARTS. HOWEVER, IN VIEW COMMENTS IN LONDON'S 12186 (DTG 251521Z JULY) YOU ARE ALSO AUTHORIZED AT YOUR DISCRETION TO CONSULT FCO ON PROJECT. WE ASSUME USAF EXPERT COULD BE MADE AVAILABLE TO ASSIST EMBASSY IF DESIRED.

3. IN ANY US MILITARY OR EMBASSY DISCUSSIONS, INDICATION OF WHERE SQUADRON MIGHT BE LOCATED MUST REMAIN TENTATIVE.

DOD IS CONTINUING TO STUDY SEVERAL OPTIONS FOR LOCATION.

4. WE EXPECT CINCUSAFE WILL KEEP ALL CONCERNED (INCLUDING EMBASSY AND STATE) INFORMED OF RESULTS OF DISCUSSIONS WITH UK MOD. CHRISTOPHER

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